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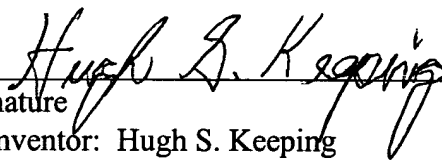
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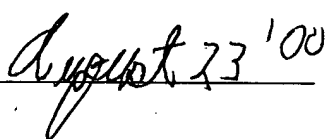
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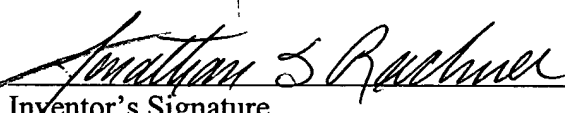
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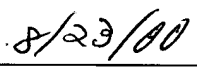
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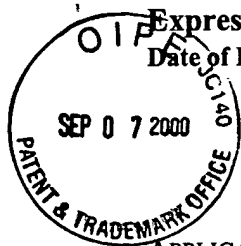


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FOR: TREATMENT FOR BONE DISORDERS

STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(d) – NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION)

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Name of Nonprofit Organization: Rhode Island Hospital, A LifeSpan Partner

Address of Nonprofit Organization: 593 Eddy Street, Providence, RI 02903

TYPE OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION:

- ☐ University or other Institution of High Education
- ☒ Tax Exempt under Internal Revenue Service Code (26 U.S.C. 501(a) and 501(c)(3))
- ☐ Nonprofit scientific or educational under statute of States of the United States of America
(Name of State _____)
(Citation of Statute _____)
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- ☐ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above
- ☒ the application identified above
- ☐ the patent identified above

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